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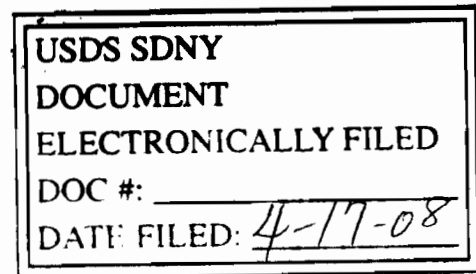
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April 17, 2008

**By Hand**

The Honorable Victor Marrero  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007



Re: **United States v. Asquith Reid et al.**  
**08 Cr. 331 (VM)**

Dear Judge Marrero:

Yesterday, a federal grand jury returned an indictment against the defendants in the above-captioned case. Both defendants were arraigned yesterday before Magistrate Judge Debra Freeman after the matter was referred by the Court, and time was excluded until April 25, 2008.

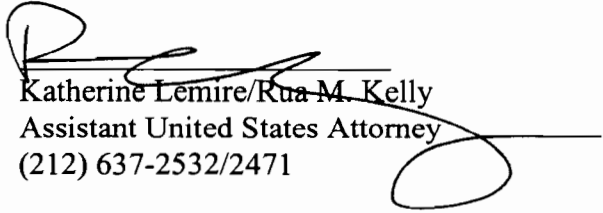
The parties respectfully request that the pre-trial conference in this matter be scheduled for April 25, 2008 at 3:30 p.m., or at another time convenient to the Court.

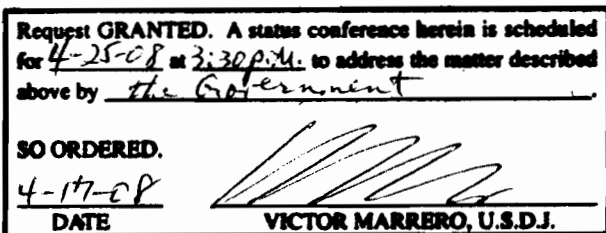
Thank you in advance for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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